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Re: **Your Reference: 518-0142/TD**  
**Our Reference: 36856.1436**  
**U.S. Patent Application No.: 10/595,237**  
**Title: SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE**

Dear Mr. Takeda:

We have received notification from the Patent Office confirming that the subject application was filed on **March 29, 2006**, and assigned U.S. Application No. **10,595,237**.

We enclose a copy of the ORIGINAL Filing Receipt. We have reviewed the Filing Receipt and determined that the Filing Receipt needs to be corrected. Accordingly, we prepared and filed a Request for Corrected Filing Receipt with the U.S. Patent Office today. We enclose a copy of the transmittal for your records.

In addition, we are forwarding the Notice of Acceptance of Application, which shows that the U.S. Patent Office has determined that the above-identified application has met all requirements and is accepted for national patentability examination in the U. S. Patent Office. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Please let us know if you have any questions. We will keep you informed of all further developments in this case.

Very truly yours,



Christopher A. Bennett  
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Applicants respectfully request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued. Applicants have provided a copy of the Filing Receipt with the corrections to be made noted thereon.

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The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US10/595,237**

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**Title**

Surface acoustic wave device

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